

Shanghai Municipal Council.

15th June

sir, the troops who went to the border of Chekiang when that province declared independence are now being withdrawn in accordance with instructions from Ohiangchun Feng. It is reported that some of the troops in Shanghai and Woosung will be sent back to the North soon. Three coolies were killed as the result of an explosion at the Powder Works at Lungwha. They had entered a chamber wherein a quantity of black gunpowder manufactured about twenty years ago was stored and it is surmised that one of them lit a cigarette

in the place. It is reported that Sun Yat Sun at Shanghai

has advised Hwang Hein in Japan to do as he has done in notifying his followers in the Kiangsu, Kwangtung, Bukhien and Shantung provinces to make no further opposition to the Government and its present President Li Yuan Hung. Sun Yat Sen is in communication with the President.

Your Obedient Servant,

Chief Detective Inspector.

Captain Superintendent of Police.